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## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2007, the period for response having been extended one month up to and including January 24, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.